

WASHINGTON, D.C. , Congressmen John W. Olver (D-1st District), Martin Meehan (D-5th District) and

Olver is the Ranking Member (most senior Democrat) of the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation

"Commuter rail access is a significant issue for the residents in the North Central region," Olver said "I

"This important funding will help lay the ground work for faster, more reliable, and safer commuter rail

"I want to thank Congressman Olver for his leadership on the Appropriations committee and his commi

The funding was included in the FY06 Transportation, Treasury, HUD, the Judiciary and DC Appropriat

The conference report contains the following earmarks:

\$2.64 million for a commuter rail line from Fitchburg to Boston allow Montachusett Area Regional T

\$720,000 for MART's North Leominster station parking improvements architectural engineering for con

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